ThinkDOTS –Poetric Devices

***Metaphor versus Personification***

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| What is the word for giving human characteristics to an inanimate object? | How is a metaphor different from personification? | How does a metaphor work? |
| Analyze the effects of personification versus a metaphor. | How would you portray night in a poem with the use of personification? Metaphor? | Which literary device is more effective—personification or metaphor? |

***Rhythm versus Meter***

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| Define meter. | How is meter different from rhythm? | How does rhythm work? |
| Analyze the effects of rhythm. | Give an example of the use of meter and rhythm within a poem. | What is your opinion of the use of a regular rhythm within a poem? |

***Imagery versus Figurative Language***

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| How would you define figurative language? | How does imagery differ from figurative language? | How does figurative language work? |
| Analyze the effects of imagery. | Devise a way to identify figurative language and imagery within a poem. | Make an argument for which you would teach first: figurative language or imagery. |